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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the complete patent application of Calvin F. Konzak, Enrique A. Polle, Weiguo Liu and Yuanming Zheng, entitled METHODS FOR GENERATING DOUBLED HAPLOID PLANTS.

- X 1. This application is a continuation of prior Application No. 09/383,588, filed August 26, 1999, priority from the filing date of which is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120, which also claims the benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/099,633, filed September 9, 1998, the benefit of which is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- X 2. An application consisting of 41 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, is attached.
- X 3. A copy of the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in the above-noted prior application is attached. This application is a continuation, no new matter has been added to this application, and no new inventors have been named.
- X 4. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of this application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.
- X 5. The prior application was assigned to Northwest Plant Breeding Company by an Assignment recorded at Reel 010302/Frame 0278.

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6. Small entity status is asserted for this matter.
7. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

COMPUTATION OF FEE

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate	
Basic Fee						370
Total Claims	36 - 20	=	16	x	9	= 144
Independent Claims	2 - 3	=	0	x	42	= 0
	TOTAL					\$514

8. Our Check No. 134925 in the amount of \$514.00 to cover the total fee as computed above is enclosed.
9. The following additional documents are enclosed: Information Disclosure Statement.
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